

## PRODUCE IS EASIER

## Poultry and Eggs Make an Unexpected Decline.

Fresh Salmon Are Out of the Market and Smelt Are Scarce—Hop Sales Are Brisk in the Neighborhood of Twenty-eight Cents.

Portland Jan. 18.—Better weather has unexpectedly put the produce market on an easier footing, and all lines show slight decreases in prices.

Offerings of poultry and eggs from the country were profuse yesterday and chickens went back 1/4 cent a pound. During the early part of the week the dealers were of the opinion that better prices would rule and notified the shippers to this effect, with the result that all sent their poultry in at once.

Fresh salmon are out of the market, and fresh smelt also are scarce, on account of the little fish having forsaken the smaller streams.

The movement in hops has been quite brisk during the last few days, most of the sales made being in the neighborhood of 28 cents. Nearly 900 bales were sold today.

## Grain Products, Feed.

Wheat—Walla Walla, 22c; Valley, 20c; bluestem, 18c.

Oats—White, 18c; gray, 17c.

Barley—Brewing, 23c; feed, 22.50c.

Hay—Timothy, 14@15; clover, 11@12; chest, 11@12.

Millicuts—Barley, rolled, 23.50c; middlings, 24@25; chop, 16@18; bran, 10@11; shorts, 23@25.

Flour—Hard wheat, straight, 4.15@4.30; hard wheat patents, 4.75@4.90; Valley, 4.30@4.75; graham, 34; rye, 25; whole wheat flour, 33.90.

## Produce.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 25@27 1/2c; dairy, 10@11c; cooking, 12@12 1/2c.

Cheese—Young America, 14 1/2@15c; Oregon full cream, 13 1/2@14c.

Eggs—Oregon ranch, 30c; eastern, 24@25c.

Poultry—Mixed chickens, per pound, 12c; spring, pound, 11@12 1/2c; hens, 14@15 1/2c; geese, 9@9 1/2c; turkeys, live, 15@17c; turkeys, dressed, 20@22c; ducks, old, dozen, 14@15; spring ducks, 16@17.

Honey—Dark, 19 1/2@21c; amber, 12@13c; fancy white, 16c.

## Wild Game.

Wild geese, 22.50; mallard ducks, 23@24.50; wildfowl ducks, 22@23.50; teal ducks, 11.50.

## Fruits and Vegetables.

Pears—11@12.50.

Cranberries—Per barrel, \$11.

Apples—Oregon, 50c@1.25.

Tropical Fruits—Lemons, fancy, 33.25@35.50; choice, 32.25 per box; oranges, 22.50@25.50; bananas, 50@55c per pound; pineapples, 33.50@4 per dozen.

Potatoes, Oregon, 100 pounds, 80@90c; tomatoes, California, per crate, 1.25; turnips, per sack, 60@70c; cabbage, per pound, 1 1/2@2c; carrots, per sack, 60@75c; beets, per dozen bunches, 15c; egg plant, 5c per pound; Oregon onions, 100 pounds, 22.00@23.25; sweet potatoes, 11.50@1.75 per 100 pounds; cauliflower, per dozen, 75c@81c; celery, per dozen, 55@60c.

## Fresh Meats and Fish.

Fresh Meats—Veal, 3 1/2@5c; pork, 5 1/2@6 1/2c; beef, 3@5c; mutton, 4@6c.

Fish—Crabs, per dozen, 1.25; Shoalwater Bay oysters, per sack, 34; oysters, gulf, 33.25; halibut, 7c; black cod, 7c; salmon, Steelheads, 8 1/2c; herring, 5c; flounders, 5c; catfish, 7c; lake trout, per pound, 12 1/2c; silver smelt, 8c; shrimp, 10c; perch, 5c; sturgeon, 7c; Columbia river smelt, 3c.

## Oils and Lead.

Coal Oil—Pearl or astral oil, cases, 21c per gallon; water white oil, iron barrels, 15 1/2c; wood barrels, none; cocon oil, cases, 25c; elaine oil, cases, 25c; extra star, cases, 26c; headlight oil, 175 degrees, cases, 24 1/2c; iron barrels, 18c. (Washington state test burning oils, except headlight, 1/4c per gallon higher.)

Benzine—Sixty-three degrees, cases, 25c; iron barrels, 15 1/2c.

Linseed Oil—Pure raw, in barrels, 52c; genuine kettle-boiled in barrels, 54c; pure raw oil, in cases, 57c; genuine kettle-boiled in cases, 59c; lots of 250 gallons, 1c less per gallon.

Turpentine—In cases, 85c per gallon.

Gasoline—Stove gasoline, cases, 24 1/2c; iron barrels, 18c; 85 degrees gasoline, cases, 32c; iron barrels or drums, 26c.

Lead—Strictly pure white lead and red lead in ton lots, 7 1/2c; 500-pound lots, 8c; less than 500 pounds, 8 1/2c.

Greasy, Provisions, Etc.

Sugar—Golden C, 55.55; powdered, 56.35; patent cube, 56.50; cane, D. G., 56.15; fruit sugar, 56.15; best sugar, 56.05; extra cut, 10c; kegs, 56.15; boxes, 56.15, 50c less 1/4c per pound, if paid for in 15 days.

Salt—Bales of 75-lb, bale \$1.50; bales of 50-lb, bale \$1.50; bales of 40-lb, bale \$1.50; bales of 15-lb, bale \$1.50; bags, 50-lb, fine, ton, \$9.50; bags 50-lb, genuine Liverpool, ton, \$17; bags 50-lb, 1/2 ground, 1000, tons, \$5.25; R. S. V. P., 20 5-lb cartons, \$2.25; R. S. V. P., 24 3-lb cartons, \$1.75; Liverpool lump, ton, \$15.

Coffee—Mocha, 24@25c; Java, fancy, 26@27c; Java, good, 26@27c; Java, ordinary, 17@20c; Costa Rica, fancy, 18@20c; Costa Rica, good, 16@18c; Arabica, \$15.25 per 100 pounds; Lion, \$15.25.

Nuts—Walnuts, No. 1, soft shell, 13 1/2c; No. 1, hard shell, 13 1/2c; Chile, 15c; almonds, 17@18c; filberts, 14@15c; Brazilia, 16c; pecans, 13 1/2@15c; hickory, 8c; Virginia peanuts, 8@8 1/2c; Jumbo Virginia peanuts, 9c; Japanese peanuts, 5 1/2@6c; chestnuts, Italian, 14c; chestnuts, eastern, drum, \$4.50; coconuts, dozen, 90c.

Rice—Imperial Japan, No. 1, \$5.37 1/2; No. 2, \$4.25; Carolina head, 6c; broken head, 4c.

Provisions—Hams, to size, 12 1/2c; hams picnic, 9c; bacon, regulars, 11c; bacon, breakfast, 14@15c; dry salt sides, 10c; backs, dry salt, 9c; lard, kettle rendered, tierced, 9 1/2c.

Figs—White, pound, 5 1/2@6c; black, 6@7c.

Dates—Golden, 60-lb. boxes, 6@7c; 1-lb packages, 8c; Fard, 15-lb boxes, \$1.40 box.

## Hops, Wool, Hides, Etc.

Hops—23@29c.

Wool—Valley, 20@21c; Eastern Oregon, 14@15c.

Tallow—Prime, per pound, 3 1/2@4c; No. 2 and grease, 2 1/2@3c.

Hides—Dry hides, No. 1, 16 pounds and up, 14 1/2@15 1/2c pound; dry kip, No. 1, 5 to 16 pounds, 13@14 1/2c; dry calf, No. 1, under 5 pounds, 15 1/2c; dry salted bulls and stags, a third less than dry flint; salted hides, steers, sound, 50 pounds and over, 8@9c; 50 to 60 pounds 7@7 1/2c; under 50 pounds and cows, 6 1/2@7 1/2c; stags and bulls, sound, 4@4 1/2c; kip, sound, 15 to 20 pounds, 7c; under 10 pounds, 8c; green (unsalted), 1c per pound less; culls, 1c per pound less; horse hides, salted, each, \$1.50; dry, each, \$1.50; colts' hides, each, 25@50c; goatskins, common, each, 10@15c; Angora, with wool on, 25c@31c; sheep pelts, as to wool, 10@60c each.

## Livestock.

Cattle—\$2.75@4.00; hogs, \$4.50@5.50; sheep, \$3.25@4.25.

## LOCAL PRODUCE.

Prices furnished by Ross, Higgins & Company

The following are the retail prices on local produce yesterday:

Eggs, per dozen, 35c; butter, best, per roll, 65c; chickens, dressed, per pound, 18c; mallard ducks, pair, \$1; apples, box, 75c@1.25; oranges, box, \$2.50@3; potatoes, sack, \$1.40; turnips, sack, 90c; carrots, sack, \$1.

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## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

## First National Bank

At Astoria, in the state of Oregon, at the close of business, January 11th, 1905.

## RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts.....\$316,212 50  
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....4,921 03  
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....12,500 00  
Bonds, securities, etc.....73,380 00  
Other real estate owned.....6,000 00  
Due from national banks (not reserve agents).....4,268 39  
Due from state banks and bankers.....90,220 68  
Due from approved reserve agents.....140,176 73  
Checks and other cash items.....56 15  
Notes of other national banks.....35 00  
Nickels and cents.....435 19  
Lawful Money Reserved in bank, viz:  
Specie.....\$130,000 00  
Legal-tender notes.....25 00 130,025 00  
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation).....625 00  
Total.....\$778,855 67

## LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in.....\$50,000 00  
Surplus fund.....50,000 00  
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....23,990 98  
National bank notes outstanding.....12,500 00  
Individual deposits subject to check.....\$474,774 22  
Demand certificates of deposit.....167,827 47  
Certified checks.....99 00 483,364 69  
Total.....\$778,855 67

State of Oregon, County of Clatsop, ss: I, S. S. Gordon, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

S. S. GORDON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of January, 1905.

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